



# Ted Stevens

United States Senator for Alaska

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Fax - (202) 224-2354

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United States Senate  
522 Hart Senate Office Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20510**- Requests are due by February 15, 2008.**

## FISCAL YEAR 2009 PROJECT REQUEST FORM

Project Name: Akutan Boat Harbor

Project Location: Akutan, AK

## Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Akutan, Alaska is one of the largest seafood ports in the Nation, but the community has no harbor. Fishing boats take a beating, and are at risk of running aground and creating environmental hazards during the frequent periods of extreme weather. The Corps has been working on this project for two decades. In late 2004, the Chief of Engineers Report was completed and recommended proceeding with the project, with a benefit/cost ratio of 1.8 to 1. Total cost of the project was estimated at \$19 million (since revised upward by the Corps to \$19.7 million). Federal cost share was projected at \$9.2 million. However, the project authorization includes uplands dredging as a general navigation feature and increases the Federal cost by another \$4 million. FY 2008 saw the project move from Army Corps general investigations into the general construction account.

Related Appropriations Bill: E &amp; W Approps/Army Corps

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$8,500,000

Total funding to complete this project: \$8,500,000

Number of years to fund this project: 1

Matching funds from the State of Alaska: N/A

Matching funds from local and private entities:

\$5 million local match from Aleutians East Borough  
\$850,000 -- APICDA

If this project was funded in prior appropriations bills (within the last five years), list each bill and the amount funded:

FY 08 E & W Approps -- \$468,00 ACOE/General Construction  
FY 06 E & W Approps -- \$500,000 ACOE/General Investigations  
FY 05 E & W Approps -- \$135,000 ACOE/GI  
FY 04 E & W Approps -- \$300,000 ACOE/GI

Amount included in the President's FY09 Budget: 0

Amount included in the State of Alaska FY09 Budget: N/A

☐ Check this box if state funding was sought but not provided.

## List legislation that authorizes this project:

Section 138 of the FY 2006 E &amp; W Appropriations Act

## Check all that apply:

- ☐ A change in the current law is necessary in order to proceed with the project. (If so, attach language and a list of laws that need to be amended)
- ☐ Bill or report language is needed. (If so, attach requested language)



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Project Name: Akutan, AK Airport Improvements

Project Location: Akutan, AK

## Project Description (please attach additional pages as required):

Akutan is comprised of an Alaska Native Village of roughly 100 permanent residents and a world-scale seafood processing plant with an average of 1200 transplant employees. Akutan is currently served by the World War II vintage float plane, the Grumman Goose. The air carrier (PennAir) has stated publicly that it has been increasingly difficult to keep the float planes in operation and the company has been operating under FAA waivers for years. Penn states that the aircraft may only have a few usable years left. The risk to the flying public grows each year that service with the Goose is continued. The State of Alaska and the FAA have engaged in a planning process to develop a Twenty Year Master Plan for a future Akutan runway. A site has been selected on Akun Island. The FAA completed an Environmental Assessment this past year and has issued a Record of Decision recommending that the project go forward.

Related Appropriations Bill: TTHUD Approps

Amount of federal funding requested for FY09: \$7,400,000

**Total** funding to complete this project: \$7,400,000

Number of years to fund this project: 1

Matching funds from the State of Alaska: \$20,000,000

Matching funds from local and private entities:

City of Akutan -- \$1.3 million  
Aleutians East Borough -- \$3 million

If this project was funded in prior appropriations bills (within the last five years), list each bill and the amount funded:

FY 2002 DOT Approps -- \$4 million  
FY 2003 DOT Approps -- \$4 million  
FY 2005 DOT Approps -- \$2 million  
FY 2008 DOT Approps -- \$2.6 million

Amount included in the President's FY09 Budget: 0

Amount included in the State of Alaska FY09 Budget: Funds from FY 2008

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List legislation that authorizes this project:

FAA Authorization

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